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Application of: Onyuksel *et al.*

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Making Improved Micelle  
Compositions

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**RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT  
AND PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**

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Sir/Madam:

In a restriction requirement mailed June 10, 2003, the examiner asserted that pending claims 1-12 were directed to three patentably distinct species and required restriction. In response to said restriction requirement, applicants herein elect species "b," designated by the examiner as "a method in claims 5-6 and 10-12," for continued prosecution without traverse.

Prior to substantive examination of the above application, please enter the following amendment to the claims.